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Hongkong, January 3, 1912.

RETURNING FROM
BANISHMENT.

An application was made to the Captain Superintendent of Police, by a woman who had been banished, for permission to return to the Colony to settle her affairs. Instead of leaving again when the time was up, however, she took a house and paid a month's rent in advance. She was charged before Mr Melbourne this morning by Sergeant Terrett, and her excuse was that she was sick and could not go. Sergeant Terrett, however, said she removed all her furniture the day that she was supposed to be ill. She was sent to jail for three months' hard labour, and Mr Melbourne told her that she could appeal to the Registrar-General if she so desired.

TIBETAN STAMPS.

A sheet of twelve 1 anna purple stamps, which the Dalai Lama of Tibet is said to be going to issue, has been sent to a contemporary. It is a curious production, suggestive of the crude stamps of some of the feudatory States of India. In the centre of each stamp is a device representing the white lion of Tibet. The inscriptions are in native and in English characters, and the splendid devices are crudely copied from the Indian stamp of the same denomination, viz., 1 anna. It is understood that other values contemplated are 2 annas, and 4 annas, in each case the ornamentation of the Indian stamp of those values being copied for the frames, enclosing the white lion. The sheet in question came, it is said, from the very highest quarters.—*Harrow Daily News*.

A GOLDEN "CATCH."

A lady's gold watch was brought up on a hook by a competitor in the ladies' deep-sea angling competition at Deal, and is believed to be the one lost by a lady angler two years ago.

HAVE YOU A COUGH.

If you have a touch, cure it. A cough is a symptom of more serious trouble. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is the best obtainable and you need no hesitation in using it as it contains nothing injurious. For sale by all Chemists and druggists.

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HONGKONG-CANTON LINE.

HONGKONG TO CANTON. CANTON TO HONGKONG.

WEDNESDAY, 13th NOVEMBER.

8.00 A.M. 'HONAM.' 8.00 A.M. 'HEUNGSHAN.'
10.00 P.M. 'HEUNGSHAN.' 5.00 P.M. 'PATSHAN.'

THURSDAY, 14th NOVEMBER.

8.00 A.M. 'PATSHAN.' 8.00 A.M. 'HONAM.'
10.00 P.M. 'HONAM.' 5.00 P.M. 'HEUNGSHAN.'

HONGKONG-MACAO LINE.

S.S. 'SUI TAI' 1651. S.S. 'SUI AN' 1651.

HONGKONG TO MACAO.

Week days at 8 A.M. & 2 P.M. from the Company's Wing Lok Street Wharf, Sunday, at 9 A.M. & 12.30 P.M. from the Company's Wing Lok Street Wharf.

Macao to Hongkong.

Week days at 7.30 A.M. and 2 P.M. Sundays, at 7.30 A.M. and 5 P.M.

SATURDAY, The 28th October, the Company's Steamship 'SUI-TAI' will leave from Wing Lok Street Wharf, at 9 p.m.

S.S. 'SUI-AN' will make an extra trip leaving Hongkong at 6 p.m., returning from Macao on Sunday, at 6 p.m.

EXCURSION TO MACAO.

SUNDAY, 17th NOVEMBER.

The Company's Steamship "SUI AN,"

will depart from the COMPANY'S WING LOK STREET WHARF at 9 A.M. and return from Macao at 5 P.M.

N.B.—The Company will also run a steamer from Macao on Sunday morning at 7.30 A.M. and from Hongkong at 12.30 P.M. from the Company's Wing Lok Street Wharf.

This Steamer connects with the excursion steamer returning from Macao at 6 p.m.

FARES AS USUAL.

Further particulars may be obtained at the Office of the Company.

CANTON-MACAO LINE.

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Departure from Macao to Canton on Monday, Wednesday and Friday, at 9 P.M.

Departure from Canton to Macao on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, at 4.30 P.M.

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S.S. 'SAINAM' 588 Tons and S.S. 'NANTAN' 565 Tons.

One of the above steamers leaves Canton for Wuchow every Monday, Wednesday and Friday, at about 8 A.M., and the other leaves Wuchow for Canton on the same days at 8.30 A.M. Round trips take about 5 days. Passengers can return to Hongkong or vice versa by the Company's direct steamers 'LINTAN' and 'SANUL'. These vessels have superior Cabin accommodation and are lighted throughout by electricity. Electric Fan in each Cabin.

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Hongkong September 4, 1902.

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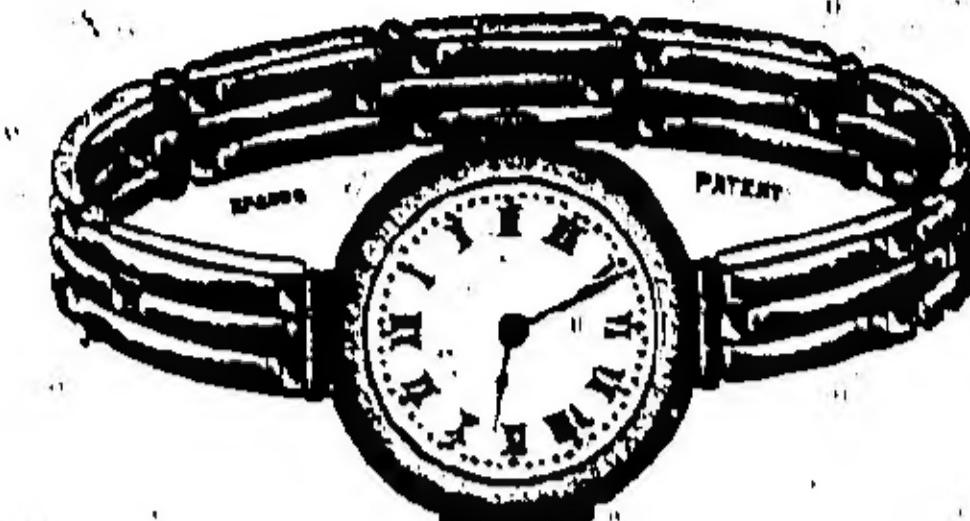
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The 'XPANSO'
Patent Double Expansion Watch Bracelet.



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SHIP CAPTAINS ARE REQUESTED TO GIVE US A TRIAL.

FRANCISCO TSE YAT, General Manager.

Hongkong, August 12, 1908.

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ART PHOTOGRAPHER
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Hongkong, October 28, 1912.

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Hongkong, January 11, 1912.

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Codes:- Al, ABC 6th Ed., Western Union.

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M. SHIBUYA,
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THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE CO.,
LIMITED.

NOTICE.

M R C. PEMBERTON resumes charge
of the business of the Company from
This Date.

By Order of the Board of Directors,

F. LIEB,
Chairman.

Hongkong, November 7, 1912. 1424

EXHIBITION OF JAPANESE
WATER COLOUR
PAINTINGS.

Due to inform the visiting section of Hongkong
and Chinese arrived from Japan with a large
and choice selection of Water Colour Paintings,
comprising Landscapes, Figures, Portraits, etc., all the
productions of eminent Japanese Artists, likewise a
miscellaneous assortment of objects of
curiosity and beauty, etc.

An exhibition of these pictures will be held at the
Bank Buildings, Queen's Road Central, Hongkong, for a
period of four weeks, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. every day.

A cordial invitation is extended
to all who appreciate the quality beauty of Japanese
Art.

BY TOMA, Art Studio.

No. 14, Bentendo; Yokohama, Japan.

Hongkong, November 7, 1912. 1419

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THE FRENCH STORE.

Hongkong, April 19, 1912.

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PAID-UP CAPITAL.....\$15,000,000	
RESERVE FUNDS—	
Sterling.....\$15,000,000	
Silver... 17,000,000	
RESERVE LIABILITY OF \$15,000,000	
PROVISIONS.....	
COUNCIL OF DIRECTORS:	
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LONDON BANKERS—LONDON COUNTY AND WESTMINSTER BANK, LIMITED.	
HONGKONG—INTEREST ALLOWED.	
On Current Account at the rate of two per cent per annum on the daily balance.	
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For 8 months 2½ per annum.	
5 " 2½ " 1½ "	
12 " 4 " 3 " 1½ "	
N. J. STABB, Chief Manager.	
Hongkong, August 21, 1912.	
HONGKONG SAVINGS BANK.	
The business of the above Bank is conducted by the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION. Rules may be obtained on application.	
INTEREST on deposits is allowed on the minimum monthly balances at 2½ PER CENT. per annum. Depositors may transfer at their option balances of \$100 or more to the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANK, to be placed on FIXED DEPOSIT at 4 PER CENT. per annum.	
For the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, N. J. STABB, Chief Manager.	
Hongkong, July 1, 1912.	1517
THE CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA, AUSTRALIA, AND CHINA.	
INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER 1853.	
HEAD OFFICE, LONDON.	
PAID-UP CAPITAL.....\$21,300,000	
RESERVE FUND.....\$21,650,000	
RESERVE LIABILITY OF PRO- PONENTS.....\$21,200,000	
FOREIGN EXCHANGE and General Banking business transacted.	
CURRENT ACCOUNTS opened and FIXED DEPOSITS received for 1 year or shorter periods at rates which will be quoted on application.	
W. M. DICKSON, Manager.	
Hongkong, April 12, 1912.	
NEDERLANDSCHE HANDEL-MAATSCHAPPIJ.	
(NETHERLANDS TRADING SOCIETY).	
ESTABLISHED 1824.	
AUTHORIZED \$10,000,000—(\$25,000,000-)	
CAPITAL.....\$14,450,000—(\$23,750,000-)	
RESERVE.....\$17,592,838—(\$2,641,063-)	
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HEAD OFFICES—Singapore, Penang, Shanghai, Bangkok, Samarang, Surabaya, Djember, Cheribon, Tapal, Palembang, Taliwang, Bandung, Padang, Medan, Teling, Tenggiri (Bell), Palembang, Roba, Radja, (Acheen), Macassar, Bandjarmasin, Correspondents at Bombay, Calcutta, Madras, Pondicherry, Colombo, Bangkok, Saigon, Haiphong, Hanoi, Amoy, Yokohama, Kobe, Melbourne, Sydney, New York, San Francisco, &c., &c.	
LONDON BANKERS—The Union of London and Southwark Bank, Limited.	
The Bank buys and sells and receives for collection Bills of Exchange, issues letters of credit on its Branches and correspondents in the East, on the Continent in Great Britain, America, and Australia, and transacts banking business of every description.	
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On Current Accounts 2½ per Annum on balances.	
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A. F. VAN RIJSSEL, April 12, 1912.	
Hongkong, July 12, 1912.	
THE CHINA MAIL	
Washing Books.	
Price 40 cents	

RECORD COW.

"Model Maid" 84 Gallons in a Day.

The British dairy farmers' annual display of milking cattle was held recently at the Royal Agricultural Hall, Islington, London.

A crowd of farmers watched the action of a new milking machine of Swedish origin. This device was strapped to the cow, and, driven by machinery, drew the milk into a metal receptacle apparently with the greatest ease and with satisfaction to the cow. The latter was milked in about six minutes, and it is claimed for this machine that by means of it (employing one to over ten cows) a herd of fifty head can be milked in under one hour, one man only being required to attend the cows.

Some extraordinary milk yields, one at least constituting a record for the dairy show, were obtained at the show from shorthorn cows. An astonishing weight of 86.6lb. of milk or 84 gallons, was the total of the morning and evening milking of Model Maid, a massive red and white cow, seven years old, bred and exhibited by Mr. James Shopp, of Redlynch Park, Chelton, Keynsham, Bristol.

Her owner stated that Model Maid was always a heavy milker.

"She gives it of her own free will," he said, "without any forcing whatever. Her rations are the ordinary food—hay, straw, bran, etc., with a bit of cake."

The aggregated weight of Model Maid's milk for two days was 171.8lb., or just over 1½ cwt. of milk.

A REPENTANT WIFE.

Sensational Allegations in a Cairo Divorce Suit.

The story of a wife who repented of leaving her husband was told in the Divorce Court recently. The scene was laid in Egypt, and the petitioner was Mr. Frank Howil, an assistant chief engineer of the Egyptian State Railways, who was granted a divorce from his wife, Helen Lilian, on the ground of her misconduct with Mr. Alexander Cable, who also resided in Egypt.

Counsel stated that petitioner found that his wife had left Cairo for England, and he also discovered a letter from the co-respondent in which he stated that Mrs. Howil had transmitted to him a proposal made by petitioner that he should pay for her.

The letter proceeded: "She said it you had told her that you did not care a damn for her. You told me at the time I first knew you that you would be glad if anyone would take your wife off your hands. I will do that, with or without scandal, as you please. I am not a moral coward."

There was also a letter from the respondent in which she said: "You will never know how humiliating it is to live with a man who does not want you."

The petitioner strongly denied the allegations made against him in the letter.

After the proceedings had been commenced petitioner received a letter in which his wife said: "Please withdraw the proceedings and take me back now. If you will restore me my name and position I will stow for everything."

The Judge granted a decree nisi, with costs against the co-respondent, and gave petitioner the custody of the children.

MOTORIST'S SUICIDE.

Death the "Only Way Out" of a Love Affair.

The strange discovery of a motorist who was found shot dead at the side of a motor car on the outskirts of Delamer Forest, in Cheshire, recently was inquired into at Mersey last month. The motorist was Alfred Hamilton Lister, 35, of Bremhill Bootle.

The evidence showed that on Monday Mr. Lister had an interview with a solicitor, who told him that he would have to give up his acquaintance with a certain young woman, as he was a married man. This Mr. Lister promised to do, but he was very much worried. When he was subsequently discovered shot a letter addressed to the solicitor was found in his possession. I was signed by Mr. Lister and said that was the only way of getting out of the trouble.

On the afternoon of his death he played tennis at his father's house, before which he had taken out a gun licence and bought a revolver and cartridges. He left his father's house at about 5 o'clock, and must have motored to Delamer Forest in Cheshire, where, in a secluded spot, he shot himself.

A verdict of Suicide was returned, there being no evidence to show the state of deceased's mind.

HATPIN DANGER.

The Trainways Committee of the Manchester Corporation have taken steps to minimise the risks associated with the wearing of large hatpins, and their lead will shortly be followed by Salford.

The following notice has been placed in the Manchester car:—Dangerous Hatpins.

The attention of lady passengers is drawn to the danger to other passengers and to the servants of the department from the practice of wearing unprotected hatpins.

PNEUMONIA.

You never heard of anyone who used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy having pneumonia and millions of both "s" of that remedy are sold every year. Pneumonia undoubtedly a grave disease, and this remedy cuts out the culture beds that form in the throat and bronchial tubes and develops the germ of that disease.

For sale at chemists and druggists.

INTEREST ALLOWED.

On Current Accounts 2½ per Annum on balances.

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A. F. VAN RIJSSEL, April 12, 1912.

Hongkong, July 12, 1912.

A Lady Housekeeper



Nervous Exhaustion, Neuralgia, Sleeplessness—

The fact that Mrs. Taylor did not give up her work, and did not go for a change, in clear proof Phosferine prevented the nervous breakdown which her doctor said was certain unless she gave up her duties. Mrs. Taylor is not the sort who gives up easily, although she was worn to a standstill with neurasthenia and sleeplessness, and realising that neither change nor rest was possible, she concluded the only certain way to keep going was to supplement her vitality with Phosferine. The actual benefit Mrs. Taylor experienced within a few weeks exceeded even the relief she knew would result from Phosferine, every nerve centre in her system began to resume its activity, thus promoting her recovery with daily increasing rapidity. Now that all traces of nervous disorders are expelled, and he sleeps sounder and eats better than ever, Mrs. Taylor urges other exhausted workers not to give up, but employ Phosferine to generate a new supply of nervous force and feel for themselves how capable, vivacious, and happy-natured this new energy makes everyone.

Completely done with.

Mrs. K. E. Taylor, 359, Goldhawk Road, Chiswick, writes:—"The benefit I have received from Phosferine is almost incredible. I had been suffering for months from Neurasthenia, everything was a burden to me, head pains and body pains were constant, I could not eat, neither could I sleep. I felt utterly ill and wearied out, and after struggling on for some time, I was told by my doctor there was nothing for it but to give up my situation or to go away for a change. For many reasons, either would have been my last wish. I remembered Phosferine had done me so much good 14 years ago in a case of neuralgia and weakness following maternity, and so I started your remedy again. I consider it has again worked miracles for me. I can eat and sleep well, and am able to perform my duties, which comprise not only household affairs, but brain work, with ease and pleasure."—April 24, 1912.

PHOSFERINE GREATEST OF ALL TONICS

A PROVEN REMEDY FOR
Influenza, Indigestion, Neuralgia, Sciatica, Exhastation.

And all disorders consequent upon a reduced state of the nervous system.

The Royal Tonic

Phosferine has been supplied by Royal Commands

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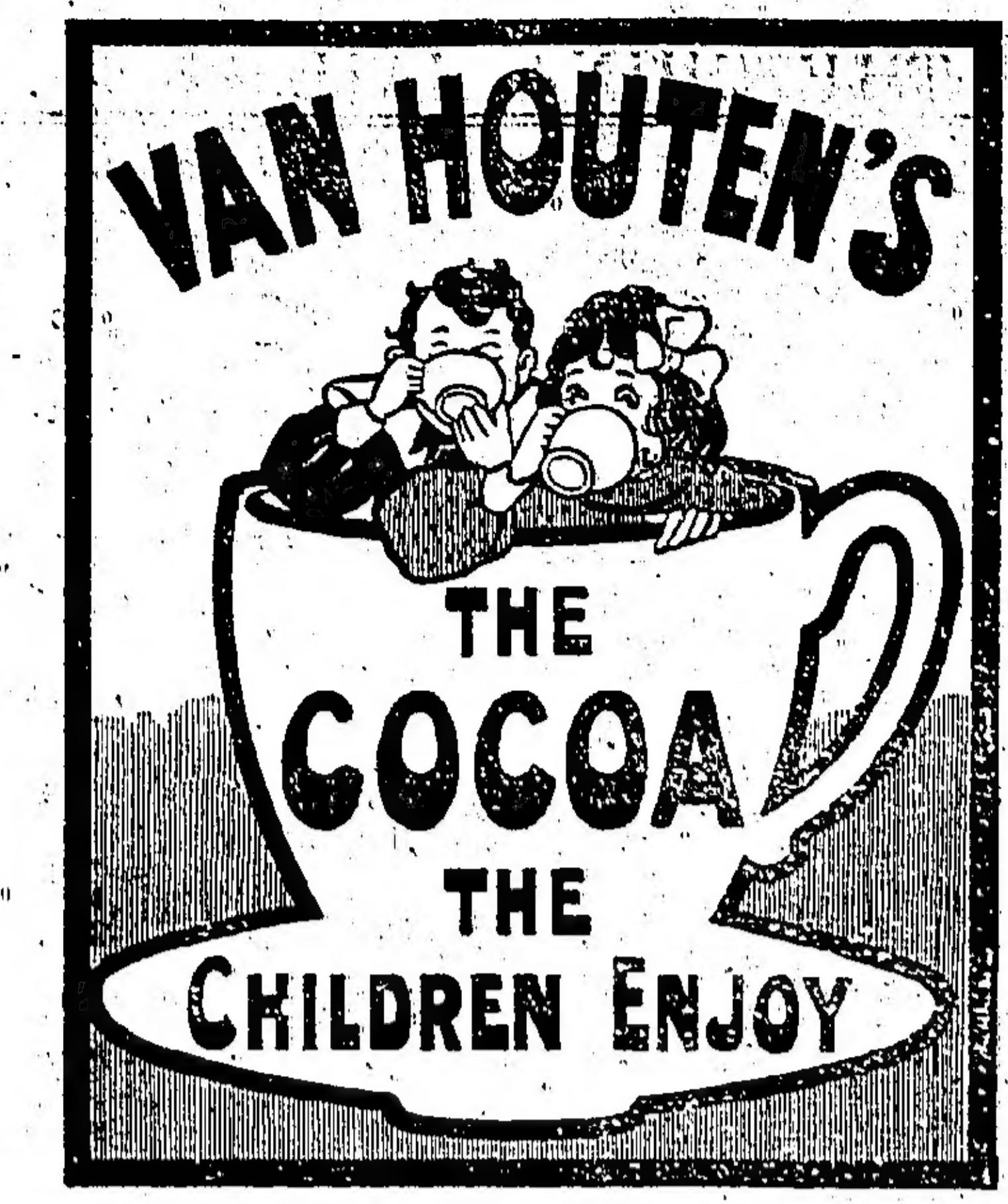
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The production of black tea in Japan is in an undeveloped state. Attempts were made in the past to produce and export black tea in the Prefectures of Kyōto, Fukuoka, Kumamoto, and Nagasaki, but the result was anything but satisfactory, the home products proving far inferior to the Indian black tea and not suited to the domestic taste. The production was consequently discontinued and almost abandoned, though the trial cultivation is carried on in Fukuoka Prefecture under a State subsidy.

We learn from the *Japan Times* that Mr. Tanihira Date, a tea-manufacturer of Miyazaki Prefecture, who is interested in the improvement of black tea, has succeeded in producing an excellent black tea in no respect inferior to the Indian and Ceylon product, by adopting the method used in India and Ceylon. Mr. Date last year received an order from Brazilian tea merchants for the shipment of 2,000 kin of Japanese black tea. He sent to Brazil the tea raised on his plantations in Shidzuoka and Miye, and the shipment met with an unexpected good result. Last Spring he received another large order from Brazil, and recently he was in receipt of an overture from a Brazilian merchant to become sole agent in Brazil of Japanese black tea, in view of the gradual increase of the demand in favour of the Japanese product there. Encouraged by the hopeful prospects of the experts to Brazil, Mr. Date has decided to establish a company for the exportation of the article to Brazil and other foreign markets, with the support of the influential business men in Shidzuoka.

A curious sheet, with a strange history, will form one of the features. It comes from Tibet, and bears specimens of twelve stamps, which were prepared for the Dalai Lama, but never used by that mysterious ruler. Every philatelist concerned with the people who produce the stamps, as well as with the stamps themselves, will be greatly interested in this exhibit.

Many complete collections, some containing twenty, fifteen, and ten thousand specimens will be on view. Probably there has never been brought together under one roof such a number of distinct collections, and when the aggregate value is put at a quarter of a million it is believed that the estimate is not an exaggerated one.

WONDERFUL COLLECTIONS.

The jubilee which is to be commemorated obviously is not the original issue of the penny and twopenny stamps in this country in 1840, when the idea of collecting was first put into practice. It is the jubilee of the first book dealing with the subject of philately—presumably the first English catalogue of stamps—published in 1862, though a year before that a catalogue was issued at Strasburg. The periodical literature did not commence until 1863, when "The Stamp" and "The Stamp Collector's Magazine" were established, to be the forerunners of more than eight hundred philatelic magazines.

In these days—that is, the early sixties—the hobby was developed into a systematic study of stamps, in addition to the mere grouping together of as many specimens as could be obtained. About 1865 the collection of Baron von Ferzary, the largest in the world, was commenced. It is reported to be worth £250,000, and to contain a copy of every stamp issued in every country of worth.

Another large collection is in the British Museum, where it was placed in 1891 upon being bequeathed to the nation by Mr. T. K. Tapling, M.P. Few stamps will be missing, we understand, from the Horticultural Hall in October, and the Junior Philatelic Society, in whose hands the arrangements lie, will make the exhibition full of interest to the ordinary visitor as well to the ardent philatelist.

Japanese sealing aeronauts, temporarily thrown out of employment by the International Convention, have found profitable service in the cod fisheries of the Kuril Islands and are returning to Japan with big catches. We imagine that the new industry will prove of greater benefit to Japan generally than the seal fisheries, even if the financial result to those engaged in it is not so satisfactory.

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Heart—Ngau Sun ... 12

Hump—Salt—Ngau Kiu ... 18

Foot—Ngau Kark ... each 8

Kidneys—Ngau Yiu ... 9

Tail—Ngau Mei ... 18

Liver—Ngau Ken ... 12

Trip (undressed)—Ngau To ... 6

Calve Head & Feet—Ngau-chai-tau-kark, set ... 21

Mutton Chop—Young Pei Kwat ... 1b

Leg—Young Pci ... 22

Shoulder—Young Shau ... 20

Pigs Chitlings—Chu Chong ... 22

Brain—Chu Know ... per set 24

Fest—Chu Kark ... 1b 12

Fry—Chu Chai ... 25

Head—Chu Tat ... 15

Heart—Chu Sum ... each 13

Kidney—Chu Yiu ... 9

Liver—Chu Con ... 1b 30

Pork Chop—Chu Pai Kwat ... 20

Corned—Ham Chu Yok ... 22

Leg—Chu Poi ... 24

Fat or Lard—Chu You ... 15

Sheep Head and Feet—Young Tau Kark set 50

Heart—Young Sun ... each 6

Kidneys—Young Yiu ... 9

Liver—Young Con ... 1b 24

Sucking Pigs, To Order—Chu Chai ... 22

Sue, Beef—Sang Ngau Yau ... 20

Veal—Sang Young Yau ... 22

Sausage—Ngau Chai Chaung ... 20

Poultry.

Chicken—Kai Chai ... 1b 30

Capons, Large, small—Sin Kai ... 32

Ducks—Ap ... 25

Doves—Pan Kau ... 15

Eggs, Hen—Kai Tan ... per doz 24

Fowls, Canton—Kai ... 1b 32

Hainan—Ho Nam Kai ... 25

Geese, Wild Shai—Shang-ho Yea Ngi paai ... 15

Musk Deer—Wong Keng ... each

Hare, Shanghai—Tu Chai ... 80

Partridge—Che Choo ... 55

Pheasant—Shan Kai ... pair 81.10

Pigeons, Canton—Pak Kup ... each 25

" Hoibow—Ho How Pak Kup ... 24

Quail—Um-Chun ... 15

Rice Birds—Wo Fa Cheur ... dozen 1

Snipe—Sa Choy ... each 24

Turkey Cock—Phor Kai Kung ... 1b. 60

" Hen, " " Na ... 50

Wild Ducks, Shai—Shang-ho Sui Ap ... 81.20

Teal—Sui Ap Chai, " " 30

Wild Ducks, Canton—San-shing Sui Ap ... 90

Fish.

Barbel—Ka Yu ... 8

Bream—Bin Yu ... 17

Canton Fresh Water Fish—Hoi Sin Yu ... 17

Carp—Li Yu ... 15

Catfish—Chik Yu ... 18

Codfish—Mun Yu ... 28

Crabs—Hai ... 20

Cuttle Fish—Muk Yu ... 16

Dab—Sa Mang Yu ... 16

Dace—Wong Mei Lun ... 10

Dog Fish—Tik Tu Sa ... 8

Cels, Carp—Hoi Mann ... 16

" Fresh water—Tam Siu Y ... 17

Eels, Yellow—Wong Sin ... 24

Frog—Tien Kai ... 28

Grouper—Sek Par ... 32

Gudgeon—Pak Kup Yu ... 12

Herring—Tao Pak ... 16

Halibut—Cheung Kwan Kap ... 24

Labrus—Wong Fa Yu ... 30

Loach—Yu Yu ... 28

Lobster—Lung Ha ... 30

Mackerel—Chi Yu ... 24

Musk Fish—Mung Yu ... 28

Mullet—Chai Yu ... 28

Oysters—San Co ... 10

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I think that Russia had no intention of severing her kindly relations with France. The new naval convention between Russia and France should not rouse us in any futile alarm, but shows that the grouping of the Powers remains as it was before.

The "Vorwärts Zeitung" (Berlin) declares more pointedly that there is something really alarming in this new convention, which enables France and Russia to practically control the North Sea, and we read:

"The new Russian fleet will really force Germany to use a large part of her naval forces in the protection of her own sea-line, and will prevent her from attacking the English fleet."

Military authorities will, now be obliged to land in Pomerania and in the province of East Prussia a large body of troops, which will weaken the contingency originally demanded for service on the French frontier.

One is compelled to ask whether the German Government has been quite wide awake with reference to the Franco-Russian negotiations."

Stronger still are the feelings of the Pan-Germanist Post (Berlin), which appears to be quite overcome by a burst of sentiment when it exclaims:

"We see here the answer that France makes to the interview between the Czar and the Kaiser. This interview is said by the German Foreign Minister to have had a success which was brilliant and surpassed every hope. The news of this naval convention, arranged scarcely a month after the departure of the Kaiser from the Baltic coast, confirms the idea that we had of that interview. Present incidents prove that the optimists of the German official circles have had few grounds for their convictions."

The "Morgen Post" (Berlin) and the "Kreuz Zeitung" (Berlin) look upon the convention from a more cheerful point of view. And the latter remarks that "it is too early to discuss results of the convention because Russia at present has no fleet, and the convention will amount to nothing until Russia's fleet be built." In the same the "Frankfurter Zeitung" says:

"The conclusion of this convention is scarcely a matter to excite the feelings of a world. As naval power in the last few years has been something of grave importance, it is quite natural that naval agreements should follow the military agreements to complete the alliance. The same sort of a convention exists between France and England. It is quite probable that a naval convention has also been arranged between England and Italy."

Austria received the news with a certain indifference in view of the fact that Russia has as yet no fleet, but the "Neue Freie Presse" (Vienna) has a pretty long article on the subject, the point of which is that the convention is understood to be a particular menace to Germany, for, of course, the union of Russian and French fleets can only take place on the Baltic and the North Sea, since the Russian fleet in the Black Sea is excluded from the Mediterranean by the closing of the Dardanelles.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

The first snowfall of the winter was experienced at Peking on October 21st.

A Peking telegram to the "Ostasiatischer Lloyd" states that the Japanese are increasing the number of their troops in Changchun and Kinchow.

The total output of the Kailan Mining Administration's mines for the week ending 28th October, amounted to 30,299.14 tons and the sales during the period, to 32,580.41 tons.

A man was fined \$12.81, or in default 14 days, for being in unlawful possession of eight cardamoms of morphine, by Mr. Melbourne at the Magistracy this morning. It was stated that the defendant also had in his possession two syringes for the purpose of injection.

At the Marine Court to-day before Commander Basil Taylor, R.N., Chen Ki, second master of the steam launch "Tai Ching" was summoned for carrying nine passengers in excess of the number allowed by his licence on the 6th inst. He was fined \$25. At the same sitting of the Court, two Chinese, charged with using their fishing boats without a licence from the Harbour Master, were remanded until Friday.

Another German paper, the "Neueste Nachrichten" (Berlin), also acknowledges the fatuity of Germany's attempt to win over Russia as her friend to the exclusion of others.

Certain German observers have not paid sufficient attention to the fact that during the interview of the Kaiser and the Czar, the head of the Russian army and the head of the Russian navy were at Peking. The circumstances might make optimistic

NEWS OF THE DAY.

On the back page of this issue will be found some interesting news items.

The English Mail of the 12th October was delivered in London on the 9th November.

The band of the 20th Punjabis is to play at the Station Hotel during dinner on Saturday next, 16th inst.

The "Otter" returned from Canton yesterday evening with General Sir Ian Hamilton and his staff on board.

Mr. Melbourne at the Magistracy this morning fined a man \$12 or fourteen days for being in unlawful possession of opium.

The transport "Rohilla," due to-morrow, will disembark 250 relief for Tientsin. The men will embark on the Indo-China s.s. Cheong Shing for the North.

"Ostasiatischer Lloyd" telegram from Peking states that it has been decided that the first portion of the Peking tramway will be twenty-seven miles in length.

Dr. Francis Clark, Medical Officer of Health, reports that in the city of Victoria during the week there was one death from enteric, and one death from pulmonary fever. Both were Chinese.

We are asked to state that the manager of the Yokohama Specie Bank here has received a telegram from Head Office advising that an agency of the Bank has been opened at Harbin.

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As the booking for "The Cook" has been phenomenal two extra rows have been placed in the stalls; the seats being numbered, can be reserved. Seats booked but not taken up first thing to-morrow will be understood, be sold.

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THE WAR.DISORDER FEARED AT
CONSTANTINOPLE.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

LONDON, Nov. 11.

It is telegraphed from Constantinople that the Government is actively disarming all classes of the population, including the refugees. Cartloads of guns, pistols, and knives are being daily conveyed to the Ministry of War for storage.

RUSSIAN COMMENT ON
AUSTRIAN POLICY.

A telegram from St. Petersburg says that Russian newspapers of all shades of political opinion are denouncing Austria's attempt to deprive Servia of the fruits of her sacrifices.

BULGARIA'S ATTITUDE.

A Sofia telegram says that the Government organ *Mir*, commenting on Austria's attitude, insists that the Powers should realise the changed conditions and cease from treating the Balkan States as protiges, but any agreement on the basis of perfect equality for the rights of both parties would be welcome.

BULGARIA AND AUSTRO-HUNGARY.

LATER.

Reuter's correspondent at Budapest telegraphs that the President of the Bulgarian Sobranje has arrived, and has conferred with Count Berchtold, the Austrian Foreign Minister, and the German Ambassador.

MR BRYCE TO RETIRE.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

LONDON, Nov. 11.

Reuter's correspondent at Washington telegraphs that the Right Hon. James Bryce, P.C., British Ambassador at Washington, on Saturday notified President Taft of his early retirement. The *Morning Post* states that Sir C. A. Spring Rice, G.C.V.O., K.C.M.G., British Minister at Stockholm, will succeed him.

OBITUARY.

LORD FURNESS.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

LONDON, Nov. 11.

The death is announced of Lord Furness.

[NOTE.—Lord Furness, who was raised to the Peerage in 1910 was one of the greatest of England's shipowners and iron magnates. For many years he sat in the House of Commons as Liberal member for Hartlepool. He was sixty years old.—Ed. C.M.]

A BRITISH MINISTER.

Reuter's correspondent at Tangiers telegraphs that the Hon. Sir Reginald Lister, H.M. Minister Plenipotentiary at Tangiers, is dead.

A NOTABLE ACTOR.

The death is announced of Mr W. S. Penley, the well-known actor, who created the parts of the Private Secretary and Charlie's Aunt.

THE GOVERNMENT
DEFEATED.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

LONDON, Nov. 12.

The Government was defeated by 228 to 206 on a division with reference to the financial provisions of the Home Rule Bill. The House thereupon adjourned amidst the wildest opposition cheering.

CABINET MEETINGS: NO
RESIGNATION.

LATER.

The Cabinet sat for over two hours, and meets again to-morrow. The defeat has undoubtedly created a position of difficulty, but the Liberal Party Whip says that the Government have decided to go on, and that an authoritative statement will be issued by the Government to the effect that they do not intend to resign in consequence of to-day's snap division.

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RAILWAY COLLISION.

30 KILLED: 50 INJURED.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

LONDON, Nov. 12.

A telegram from New Orleans states that 30 people have been killed and 50 injured by a collision at Yazoo by a goods train running into the rear of an excursionist train.

DEATH OF A LONDON
PUBLISHER.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

LONDON, Nov. 12.

The death is announced of the well-known publisher Mr William Blackwood.

MR ASQUITH'S SPEECH.

"UNIVERSALLY APPLAUDED."

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

LONDON, Nov. 12.

Mr Asquith's speech is universally applauded as moderate and statesmanlike, steadyng amidst much aggressive talk, on one side, and, on the other, his depreciation of raising isolated questions is regarded as applying equally to Austria and Servia, whilst there is strong emphasis of harmony among the powers. It is also considered as testimony to the situation being not nearly so acute as has been represented.

APPLICATION FOR RE-HEARING.

A Curious Plea of "Guilty."

At the Magistracy this morning Mr. Reader Harris, solicitor, made an application to Mr. Melbourne for the re-hearing of a case in which a Chinese had been convicted on a charge of endeavouring to export opium. Mr. Harris said he had communicated to the Superintendent of Imports and Exports, and had received a letter saying that so far as he was concerned he could not consent to the re-hearing of the case, and that it appeared to him to be a matter for the Magistrate to decide.

Mr. Melbourne said the difficulty to him appeared to be that the man pleaded guilty, and the fine was paid.

Mr. Harris said that he wanted that conviction quashed, on the very strong grounds that the man never intended to plead guilty at all, and that he could produce two witnesses whose names were on the opium farmer's permit who would state that the man was conveying the opium to them at Yau-mati. He could prove that the permit was a proper one and that everything was in order. This man, when found in the possession of the opium, did not know the difference between being found in possession of it and exporting it. In these cases the fine was often paid, and it was only after serious consideration that they found something could be done, and they instructed a solicitor.

Mr. Melbourne said he was not inclined to grant the re-hearing, as the man had pleaded guilty.

Mr. Harris said if that was the case he would have to go to a higher Court, and state there that he had clearly laid the matter before his Worship, and that he had declined to grant a re-hearing. He would then get permission to bring the case up again, and have the conviction quashed. That would mean unnecessary expense and trouble to the Government. In this case he was putting forward the grounds usually put forward—that fresh evidence would be called, and in this case, the amending of the plea.

The matter was adjourned until Thursday.

THE BIJOU SCENIC THEATRE.

With such an excellent programme as that exhibited last night, large houses should be at the order at the Bijou Scenic Theatre this week. The two ladies who sing—Miss Della Connor and Miss Gladys Porter—have a repertoire of very entertaining songs, and the measure of appreciation extended to them was fully deserved. The capital pictures that are exhibited include one in two parts entitled "Won through Waiting," which is one of Messrs Pathé's French beautifully coloured productions, portraying a very pretty romance. The ever popular Max Linder is to be seen in an interesting farm-house story, and other humorous subjects are well treated.

SPORTING.

Cricket.

MATCH AT K. C. C.

A two innings match arranged between members of the Kowloon Cricket Club, sides having been picked by Mr Mackenzie and Mr Curwen, was played at Kowloon yesterday, and resulted in a win for Mr Curwen's team on the 1st innings.

The Scores were—

Mr. CURWEN'S SIDE: 1ST INNINGS.	
A. R. F. Raven, b Scott	1
Capt. Liddell, b Overy	1
L. M. Whyte, a and b Hunter	24
L. F. Townsend, c Jewell, b Mackenzie	84
B. D. Evans, c Scott, b Overy	58
W. T. Wilson, c Mackenzie, b Overy	1
H. E. Goldsmith, b. w., b Mackenzie	5
W. Curwen, not out	8
C. W. Jeffries, c Croucher, b Weaver	12
Extras	12
Total	201

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Overy	16	3	64	3
Scott	9	2	19	1
Hunter	4	0	15	1

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PORT SAID & MARSAILLES			
SHANGHAI, M. JI, KOREA & YOKOHAMA	SICILIA	About 10th Nov.	Freight and Passage.
SHANGHAI	DEVAHNA	About 1st Nov.	Freight and Passage.
LONDON, VIA USUAL PORTS	ASSAYE	Noon, 21st	See Special of Call.
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EMPEROR OF INDIA	SAT., Jan. 11.
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MONTEAGLE	FRI., Nov. 22.
EMPEROR OF IRELAND	FRI., Nov. 15
EMPEROR OF INDIA	TUES., Dec. 19.
EMPEROR OF IRELAND	FRI., Dec. 13
EMPEROR OF JAPAN	TUES., Jan. 16.

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MARSEILLE, LONDON AND ANTWERP, VIA SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO, SUEZ AND PORT SAID	IYO MARU, Capt. Hirai.	WEDNESDAY, 20th Nov.	Tons 12,500
VICTORIA, B.C. & SEAT TLE, VIA SHANGHAI, MOUL KOBE, YOKKAICHI & SHIDZUOKA MARU, TUESDAY, 3rd Dec.	Capt. T. Iizawa.	Nov. at Noon.	Tons 12,500
SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE, NIKEO MARU, FRIDAY, 22nd Nov.	Capt. M. Yagi.	Nov. at Noon.	Tons 9,800
DAY ISLAND, TOWNS-VILLE AND BRISBANE, KUMANO MARU, FRIDAY, 20th Dec.	Capt. M. Winckler.	Nov. at Noon.	Tons 9,800
BOMRAY, VIA SINGAPORE, BOMBAY MARU, MONDAY, 25th Dec.	Capt. —.	Nov. at Noon.	Tons 5,000
SHANGHAI & KOBE, COLOMBO MARU, MONDAY, 25th Nov.	Capt. —.	Nov. at Noon.	Tons 8,000
GALCUTTA VIA SINGAPORE, TOSA MARU, SATURDAY, 16th Nov.	Capt. Goto.	Nov. at Noon.	Tons 12,000
KOBE & YOKOHAMA, KAMO MARU, THURSDAY, 21st Dec.	Capt. F. L. Sommer.	Nov. at 11 a.m.	Tons 18,000
SHANGHAI, MOJI AND WAKASA MARU, TUESDAY, 26th Nov.	Capt. —.	Nov. at Noon.	Tons 12,500
NAGASAKI, KOBE AND KUMANO MARU, YOKOHAMA, TUESDAY, 26th Nov.	Capt. M. Winckler.	Nov. at Noon.	Tons 9,800

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MIYASAKI	16,000	26th March.
KITANO	16,000	9th April.
IYO	12,500	23rd April.
HIRANO	16,000	7th May.
TANGO	13,500	26th May.

FOR AMERICA

Steamer.	Tons [Displacement]	Leaving
INABA MARU	12,500	11th February.
SHIDZUOKA	12,500	11th March.
TAMBA	12,500	25th March.
AWA	12,500	4th April.
SADO	12,500	22nd April.
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To KOREA,

S.S. PERSIA, 12000 tons, will leave for about 30th November.

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via SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO, CALCUTTA, ADEN, SUEZ.

PORT SAID about 3rd December.

S.S. PERSEPOLIS, 15,000 tons, will leave for TRIESTE, Fiume and VENICE,

via SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO, BOMBAY, KARACHI, etc., about

31st December.

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S.S. PERSIA, 12000 tons, will leave for about 30th November.

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Superior accommodation for 1st and 2nd Class and Cabin Passengers.

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VIA SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO, ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID.

Accelerated Train Service from Trieste to Paris, London and Berlin.

S.S. BOHEMIA, 7900 tons, will leave as above on 19th November, at 5 p.m.

S.S. AFRICA, 8800 tons, will leave as above on 19th December, at 5 p.m.

Cheap rates, Hongkong—Trieste, Venice 250 2nd class, 280 1st class & £19 3rd class.

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no tips, no inside Cabins, excellent cuisine, Doctor, Laundry, Wireless Telegraphy.

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S.S. AFRICA, 8800 tons, will leave as above on 6th December, at Daylight.

S.S. KOERBER, 9000 tons, will leave as above on 5th January, at Daylight.

Cheap rates, Hongkong—Shanghai £6 1st class, £4 2nd class and 23rd class.

Cargo remaining on board after FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 8th, 1912, at 5 p.m., will be landed at Consignees' risk and expense.

Cargo remaining undelivered after FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 8th, 1912, at Noon, will be subject to rent and landing charges.

No claims will be entertained for outage or damage unless packages have been examined prior to delivery and list of exceptions furnished consigned.

No Fire Insurance, whatever will be effected.

All chafed and otherwise damaged cargo will be examined at the above Company's Godown WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 13th, 1912, at 10 a.m.

All claims must be filed on or before December 8th, 1912, otherwise they will not be recognized.

NOTICES TO CONSIGNEES

PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP CO.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM SAN FRANCISCO, JAPAN
PORTS & SHANGHAI.

CONSIGNERS OF CARGO per Steamship KOREA.

The above-mentioned steamship having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby notified to send in their Bills of Lading for counter-signature, and take immediate delivery of Cargo from alongside.

Cargo impeding the discharge of the vessel will be landed as Consignees' risk and expense.

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Sole Agents for South China,

4. DES VŒUX ROAD.

STEAMERS PASSED SUEZ CANAL.

OUTWARD.

October 11, Monarch, Glenroy, Varroves,

October 15, Myrmidon, Annan,

October 18, Perseus, Yeo, Dicks Rick-

ets,

October 25, Elizabeth Rickmers, Ernest

Grimm, Kano Maru, Brodstone, Christian

Yule,

October 29, Brasilia, Monmouthshire,

Arriva,

November 1, Sumatra,

November 5, Bengaluru, Ceylon, Luton,

Mysore,

Nov. 6, Patricius, Peito, Pera.

HOMeward.

October 15, Durbanus,

October 25, Ceylon,

October 26, Pisa,

November 1, Antenor, Macao, Sydney,

November 5, Bulgaria, Indrasanu,

Mysore,

November 8, Euston, Hitachi Maru,

Arrived from China.

November 8, Sydney.

STEAMERS EXPECTED.

Mads.

The P. M. S. S. Co.'s s.s. China sailed

from San Francisco for Hongkong via

Honolulu, Japan Ports and Shanghai

on Saturday, the 2nd November.

The C. P. R. Co.'s s.s. Empress of India

left Yokohama for Victoria and Van-

couver, B.C. on Tuesday, the 6th No-

November, afternoon.

The C. P. R. Co.'s R.M.S. Montevue

left Vancouver B.C. for Hongkong via

usual ports of call on Thursday, the

7th November, a.m.

The P. M. S. S. Co.'s s.s. Manchuria with

the American Mail, left San Francisco

on Saturday, the 9th November for

Hongkong, via Honolulu and Japan

Ports and Shanghai.

Other Vessels.

The H. A. L. s.s. Liberia left Singapore

on the 5th November, a.m. and may

be expected here on or about the 11th

November.

The B. L. S. N. Co., Ltd.'s s.s. Lazada

left Singapore for Hongkong on the

1st November, due Hongkong on the

12th November.

The I. C. S. N. Co., Ltd.'s s.s. Potisian

left Singapore for Hongkong on the

1st November, due Hongkong on the

12th November.

The Glen Line's s.s. Glenek left Singapore

on Wednesday, the 6th November,

and is due here on Tuesday, the 12th

November, p.m.

The Bank Line Ltd. chartered steamer

Thor, left Mororan, Japan, on the

evening of 3rd November, and is due

here on the 13th November.

The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Sicilia left Singa-

pore for this port on the 10th Novem-

ber at 5.30 p.m. and is due here on the

16th November, at 6 a.m.

The N. Y. K. s.s. Kumano Maru (Aus-

rian Line) left Sydney for this port

via ports on the 30th October, and is

expected here on the 18th November.

The N. Y. K. s.s. Wakao Maru (Bombay

Line) left Bombay for this port via

ports on the 1st November, and is

expected here on the 19th November.

The Daniel s.s. Indian is expected to arrive

here on or about Thursday, the 22nd

November.

TO-DAY'S ADVERTISEMENTS

BOXING!

INTER REGIMENTAL COMPETITION.

1st INTER-REGIMENTAL FUSILIERS
K.O.Y.L.I.TO BE HELD IN
MURRAY BARRACKS,
ON THURSDAY, THE 14TH NOV.,
COMMENCEMENT AT 9 P.M.Competition will consist of
FOUR 6 ROUND CONTESTS
ONE 5
SIX 3Prizes of Admission £1, £1 and Soldiers
Sailors in uniform 50 cents. Tickets may
be obtained at Queen's Road entrance to
Barracks.H. MALLINSON, Captain,
1st K.O.Y.L.I.Murray Barracks,
Hongkong, November 11, 1912. 1436

ORGAN RECITAL.

ST. JOHN'S CATHEDRAL.

Tuesday, November 19th,
at 5.30 p.m.Toccata... Villiers Stanford.
Harmonies du Soir... Karg-Elert.
Fuga (St Anne)... Bach.The Closing Scene of Part 1 and the
Prelude and opening of Part 2 of Elgar's
'THE DREAM OF GERONTIUS' will be given
for the first time in Hongkong.VOCALISTS :
MR. HUNTER & MR. FRANK GROVE,
Hongkong, November 12, 1912. 1437

PUBLIC AUCTION

THE Undersigned has received instruc-

tions to sell by Public Auction,

on

TUESDAY,

the 19th November, 1912, commencing at

2.30 p.m., at his Sales Rooms, No. 4,

DUDDELL STREET.—

A QUANTITY OF

VALUABLE BLACKWOOD

AND TEAK FURNITURE,

Comprising :—

BLACKWOOD: Very Finely Carved Curio

Stands, Cabinets, Couches, Round,

Oval & Square Tables, Fire Screens,

Armchairs, Side Tables, Stools,

Flower Stands, Photo Frames and

Wall Brackets.

TEAK: Double and Single Wardrobes

with Bevelled Glass Doors, Marble-

top Wardrobes, Sideboards, Dinner

Tables, Dining Table and Chairs,

Writing Desk (plain and roll top),

Overmantels, Flower and Curio

Stands, Bookcases, Card Tables

etc., etc.;—Also

Brass Fenders and Fire Brushes.

Two Cottage Pictures.

On view from Monday, the 18th Nov.

Catalogues will be issued.

Trans.—Cash on delivery.

GEO. P. LAMMERT,
Auctioneer.

Hongkong, November 12, 1912. 1438

POST OFFICE NOTICES.

The s.s. Lisan is due to arrive here on

Wednesday, the 13th inst., with the

remaining portion of the Siberian Mail

from London on Saturday, the 19th ult.,

and the mails of Wednesday and Friday,

the 23rd and 25th October.

MAILS WILL CLOSE FOR—

SHANGHAI AND NORTH CHINA.

Per Kristian, at 8 a.m., or Wednesday,

the 13th Nov.

STRaits & CEYLON.

Per Nomura, at 9 a.m., on Wednesday,

the 13th Nov.

HAIPHONG & PAKHOU.

Per Hongkong, at 9 a.m., on Wednes-

day, the 13th Nov.

SWATOW.

Per Nomura, at 8 a.m., on Wednesday,

the 13th Nov.

STRaits & INDIA VIA BOMBAY.

Per Capri, at 11 a.m., on Wednesday,

the 13th Nov.

JAPAN VIA KOREA.

Per Lamuda, at 11 a.m., on Wednesday,

the 13th Nov.

JAPAN VIA YOKOHAMA.

Per Yamato, at 11 a.m., on Wednes-

day, the 13th Nov.

STRaits, BURMAH & INDIA VIA CALCUTTA.

Per Araratian, at noon, on Wednes-

day, the 13th Nov.

SAIGON.

Per Kuching, at 1 p.m., on Wednes-

day, the 13th Nov.

MACAO.

Per Sun Tai, at 1.15 p.m., on Wednes-

day, the 13th Nov.

SAIGON.

Per Tachau, at 3 p.m., on Wednes-

day, the 13th Nov.

HAIPHONG & PAKHOU.

Per Simeone, at 2 a.m., on Thursday,

the 14th Nov.

SHANGHAI AND NORTH CHINA.

Per Kwangtung, at 11 a.m., on Thurs-

day, the 14th Nov.

BAVARIA, CHERIBON, SAMARANG,

SOURABAYA & MACASSAR.

Per Tidore, at 2 p.m., on Thursday,

the 14th Nov.

STRaits, BURMAH, CEYLON, ADE-

LAIDE, WESTERN AUSTRALIA,

INDIA, ADEN,